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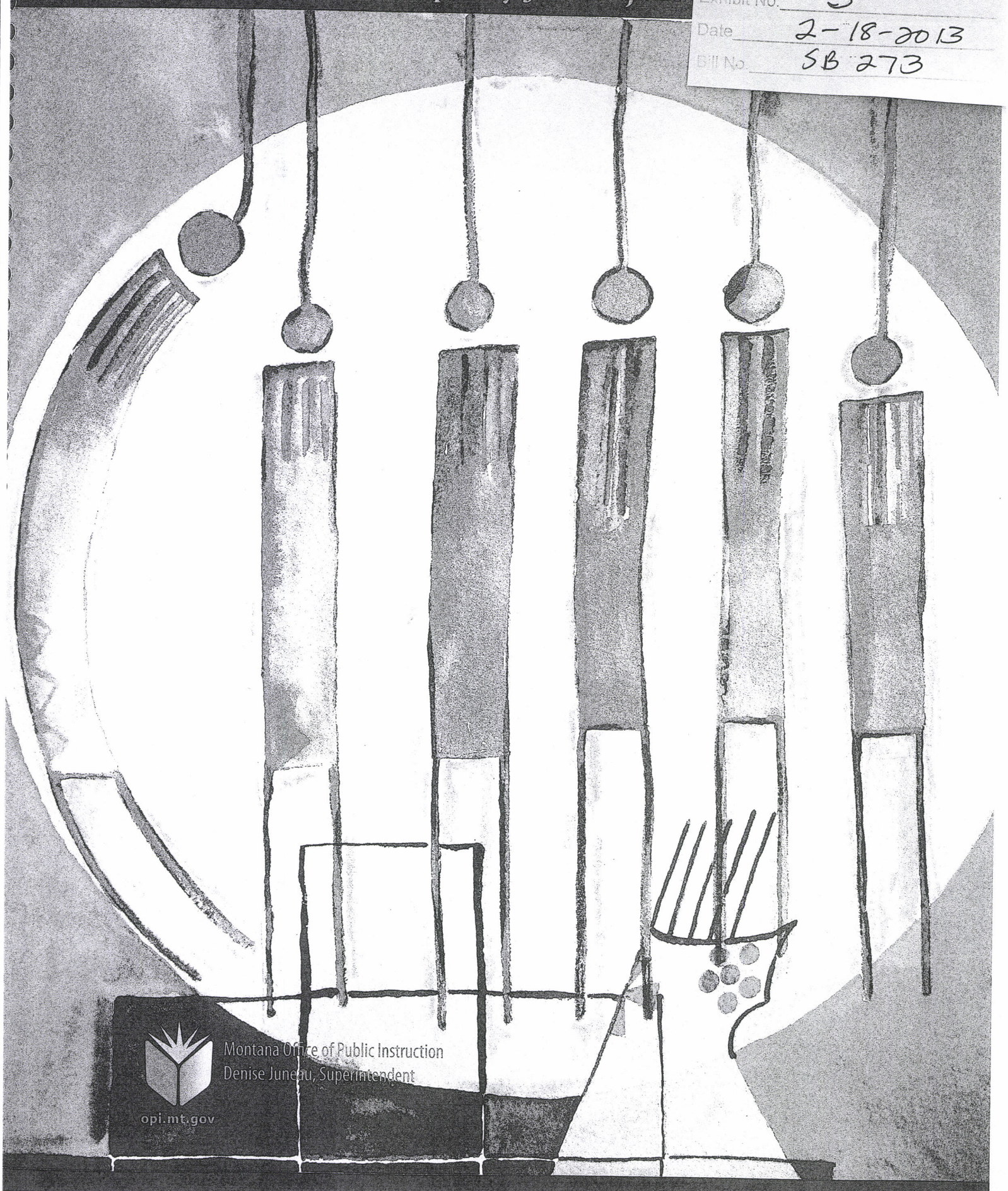
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- Primary Source Documents
- Secondary Source Document
- Interview Film Files (Dan Decker and Anna Whiting Sorrell)
- Slide Show – Archival Photos for use with Chapter Five Tribal Histories

## Educators Resource Guide – Purpose and Summary

Organized by **chapters**, this resource guide provides brief **Montana Tribal Histories Narratives**, beginning with traditional life and aboriginal homelands. Chronologically following federal policy periods through their impact on tribes, it incorporates extensive endnotes. References to tribal history project materials were made whenever possible. The narrative is not a comprehensive history. It is intended to provide a basic foundation of the historic storyline of tribes for core content guidance. A comprehensive curriculum on Montana tribal histories would necessitate several years of both research and writing. This guide is a humble beginning of that effort.

The section labeled **Content Topics and Classroom Activities**, following each **Narrative chapter**, includes a variety of significant topics throughout history that have been identified, along with suggestions for their application in classroom activities. Next in order in each chapter are **Model Lesson Plans** (ranging from elementary to high school, with many being adaptable to several grade levels). The **Teaching Tools** section includes a “Source Analysis Form” that could be used with many lessons, as well as “Word Map” and “Story Board” forms and other helpful templates. The guide concludes with a **Resource List** of sources cited and other reference support.

## Companion DVD – Summary

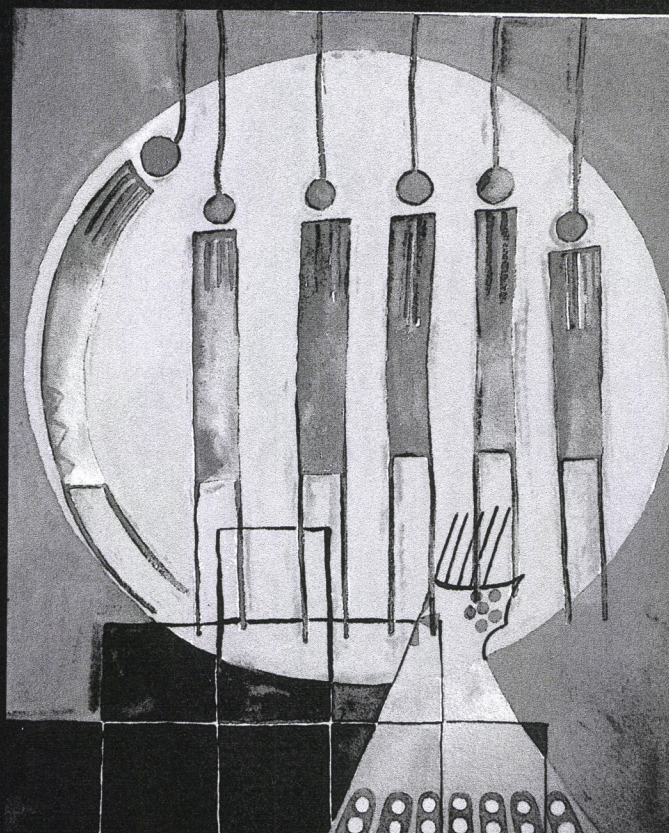
The Companion DVD contains its own detailed table of contents. The Companion DVD includes: the **Montana Tribal History Timelines**, listed in alphabetical order by reservation; the **Primary** and **Secondary Source Documents**, which are utilized in some of the lessons, but not all (teachers should read through them to determine their use beyond the examples provided); **Film Interviews**: Anna Whiting Sorrell and Dan Decker; and, a **Slide Show** of archival photos of children in traditional settings and in Indian Boarding School settings. To accommodate ease of use, clicking on the title of any of the items found on the Companion DVD will take the user directly to that item.



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